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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner of Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This Paper is sent in response to the Office Action mailed October 25, 1999 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) applicants have submitted, along with this response, a petition for extending time for response to and including April 25, 2000.

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